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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 29, 2005, Applicant requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114. In addition to this request, Applicant submits the following amendment:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following the Remarks/Arguments section of this paper.

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